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ABSTRACT

The Boston Center for Blind Children has prepared an annotated bibliography of pamphlets intended to be useful to persons working with multiply-handicapped, visually-impaired individuals. The pamphlets are organized under the following categories (number of entries in each category is listed in parentheses): bibliographies (4), epilepsy (4), facts about blindness (6), general literature on blindess (9), guides and activities for the handicapped (22), parents (8), selected reports and papers (5), services for the blind and handicapped (3), and special materials (5). Addresses of the distributors are provided. (GW)

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A. BIBLIOGRAPHIES

1. General Bibliographies

   Write to: Media Resource Center
   633 Trapelo Road
   Waltham, MA

   Good bibliographies on the following topics: Stimulation and Play; Management and Self-Help Skills; Language and Speech Stimulation; Motor Development; Handicapped Child in the Family; Creative Expressive Activities; Brain Damage; Cerebral Palsy; Child Development; and a listing of services for the visually handicapped in Massachusetts.

2. Perkins' General Bibliography on Blindness, 1974

   Write to: Perkins School for the Blind Research Library
   Watertown, MA

   Perkins' most updated bibliography on blindness.

3. Perkins School for the Blind Research Library Annual Accessions September 1972 - August 1973

   Write to: Perkins School for the Blind
   Watertown, MA

4. A Selected Annotated Bibliography for Parents and Siblings of Mentally Retarded Individuals
   Compiled by Sylvia Rost

   Write to: National Association for Retarded Children
   2709 Avenue E. East
   Arlington, Texas 76011

B. EPILEPSY

5. Epilepsy

   Write to: Epilepsy Society of Massachusetts
   140 Boylston Street
   Boston, MA 02116

   General literature on epilepsy in brief pamphlet form distributed by the Epilepsy Foundation of America.

B. EPILEPSY (continued)

6. Handbook for Parents
By Howard S. Barrows, M.D., and Eli S. Goldensohn, M.D.

Distributed by Ayerst Laboratories, N.Y., NY 10017

This pamphlet explains in simple terms the essential facts regarding seizures. It is intended to help parents better understand the facts concerning seizures and the accompanying problems.

7. Living with Epilepsy, 1965
By Cesare T. Lombroso, M.D.

Write to: Parents' Magazine

This is a reprint of an article from Parents' Magazine which discusses facts about epilepsy, treatment of seizures, and the epileptic child in relation to his family and peers.

8. Meeting Parents' Concerns, 1973
By Constance A. Laird

Reprinted in Children Today, published by the Children's Bureau, Office of Child Development.

This article is about meeting parents' concerns at the Seizure Unit of Children's Hospital.

C. FACTS ABOUT BLINDNESS

9. Advising Patients About Hereditary Eye Disease, 1955
By P. Thomas Manchester, Jr. M.D.

Write to: National Society for the Prevention of Blindness, Inc.

This brief pamphlet discusses the genetics of various eye diseases.

10. Blindness in Infants and Young Children, 1972
By Elizabeth MacFarlene Hatfield

Reprinted from the Sight-Saving Review, Vol. 42, No. 2, Summer, 1972

Write to: National Society for the Prevention of Blindness

This is a study of blind infants and young children which was undertaken by the National Society for the Prevention of Blindness in 1967. Its purpose is to explore major changes in causes of blindness, the prevalence of blindness in the United States and changes in rate of blindness.

C. FACTS ABOUT BLINDNESS (continued)

11. Cataract: Fact and Fancy

Write to: National Society for the Prevention of Blindness
79 Madison Avenue
New York, NY 10016

This brief pamphlet provides information about cataracts--signs and symptoms, facts about surgery, etc.

12. Facts About Blindness

Write to: American Foundation for the Blind
15 West Sixteenth Street
New York, NY 10011

This is a short pamphlet which states facts and statistics about blindness in the United States. It is published by the American Foundation for the Blind.

13. Glaucoma

Write to: National Society for the Prevention of Blindness, Inc.
79 Madison Avenue
New York, NY 10016

This pamphlet describes glaucoma, its warning signals, and gives suggestions for prevention.

14. Vision and Its Role in Reading Disability and Dyslexia, 1971
By Harold P. Martin, M.D.

Reprinted from The Journal of School Health, November, 1971

This paper was part of a symposium on reading disabilities given to teachers in Denver Public Schools. It discusses many facets of reading disabilities in children.

D. GENERAL LITERATURE ON BLINDNESS

15. Classroom Lighting, 1963

Write to: National Society for the Prevention of Blindness, Inc.
16 East 40 Street
New York, NY 10016

This pamphlet discusses the importance of good illumination to the school child. It outlines an illumination program that the teacher can maintain in the classroom to improve seeing conditions.

D. GENERAL LITERATURE ON BLINDNESS (continued)

16. Deaf-Blind Children: Evaluating Their Multiple Handicaps, 1970
Edited by Scott Curtis, Edward T. Donlon, Elizabeth Wagner

Write to: American Foundation for the Blind
15 West 16th Street
New York, NY 10011

This book describes in detail the evaluation and examination techniques and procedures developed by the Syracuse University Center for the Development of Blind Children Special Diagnostic Clinic for Multiply Handicapped Children. It is intended for use by other persons and programs concerned with deaf-blind children.

17. How Does a Blind Person Get Around?

Write to: American Foundation for the Blind, Inc.
15 West 16 Street
New York, NY 10011

Ideas and suggestions for achieving some sense of orientation and some degree of mobility for a blind person.

18. Is Your Child Blind?

Write to: The American Foundation for the Blind
15 West 16th Street
New York, NY 10011

A short pamphlet, intended for parents, which provides information about the care and guidance of their blind child.

19. Living with Blindness, 1972 (25¢ a copy)
By Irving R. Dickman

Write to: Public Affairs Pamphlets
381 Park Avenue South
New York, NY 10016

A detailed description of ideas and problems dealing with blindness--common stereotypes, ways of helping, means of prevention and major causes of blindness.

D. GENERAL LITERATURE ON BLINDNESS (continued)

20. Our Daughter is Blind
By Marte Johnson

Reprinted from McCalls

Write to: American Foundation for the Blind
15 West 16th Street
New York, NY 10011

This article is based upon the experiences of a mother of a blind child.

21. What Can We Do About Limited Vision? (35¢ a copy)
By Irving R. Dickman

Public Affairs Pamphlet No. 491

Write to: Public Affairs Pamphlets
381 Park Avenue, South
New York, NY 10016

This pamphlet is one of a series published by the Public Affairs Committee. It offers much valuable information about limited vision in the form of facts and suggestions.

22. What Do You Do When You See A Blind Person?

Write to: American Foundation for the Blind
15 West 16th Street
New York, NY 10011

A few hints on helping a blind person; and ideas to make one feel more comfortable in that situation.

23. Who Is The Visually Handicapped Child?

Write to: American Foundation for the Blind
15 West 16th Street
New York, NY 10011

A description of the visually handicapped child, types of educational programs and descriptions and listings of educational training for the teacher of the visually handicapped.

E. GUIDES AND ACTIVITIES FOR THE HANDICAPPED

24. Adventure Playgrounds for Handicapped Children, 1973

Write to: Secretary HAPA
2 Paultons Street
London, England SW3

A description of the Chelsea Adventure Playground--a playground

E. GUIDES AND ACTIVITIES FOR THE HANDICAPPED (continued)

24. Adventure Playgrounds for Handicapped Children, 1973 (continued)

devised for the use of all children with any kind of handicap--mental, physical, or emotional, and for the use, whenever possible, of non-handicapped children as well.

25. The Baby Exercise Book, 1973
By Dr. Janine Levy

Write to: Pantheon Books
A Division of Random House
New York, NY

This book serves as a good guideline for parents who want to facilitate motor activity in newborns and infants.

26. Daily Sensorimotor Training Activities, 1968
By William T. Braley, Geraldine Konicki, and Catherine Leedy

Write to: Educational Activities, Inc.
Freeport, NY

The purpose of this manual is to present sensorimotor activities for the preschool child. The activities are designed to be integrated with the curriculum and equipment used in preschool centers. Parents will find that many of the activities can be done easily in the home.

27. Feeding the Child With a Handicap, 1973 (40¢ a copy)

Write to: U. S. Department of Health, Education, and Welfare
Superintendent of Documents
U. S. Government Printing Office
Washington, DC 20402

This pamphlet makes suggestions on how to meet the feeding needs of certain handicapped children. It describes techniques of feeding that are especially adapted to these children. It discusses some principles of child growth and development that apply to all children as well as to the handicapped.

E. GUIDES AND ACTIVITIES FOR THE HANDICAPPED (continued)

28. Guiding the Development of the Young Visually Handicapped--A Selected List of Activities, 1969

Write to: State School for the Blind
5220 North High Street
Columbus, Ohio 43214

Different activities are suggested for each age level for visually handicapped children in this booklet.

29. The Handicapped Child - The Playscape and the Instructor

Write to: Playground Corporation of America
29-16 40th Avenue
Long Island City, NY 11101

A guide to the potential rehabilitation possibilities for handicapped children through Playscape motor game play. This publication is primarily for use by teachers of handicapped children to help clarify the principles behind the use of the Playscape, a scientifically coordinated "planned play environment."

30. A Helpful Guide in the Training of a Mentally Retarded Child, 1971
By Virginia State Department of Health, Bureau of Child Health

Write to: National Association for Retarded Citizens
P. O. Box 6109
2709 Avenue E. East
Arlington, Texas 76011

This pamphlet is a collection of information on the training of a mentally retarded child, designed for use by physicians, nurses, teachers, social workers, psychologists as well as parents.

31. How To's on Dressing and Feeding - Handling the Young Cerebral Palsied Child at Home, 1968
By Nancie R. Finnie

Write to: United Cerebral Palsy Association, Inc.
66 East 34th Street
New York, NY 10016

This pamphlet contains many helpful suggestions on feeding and dressing a young cerebral palsied child at home.

E. GUIDES AND ACTIVITIES FOR THE HANDICAPPED (continued)

32. Music Activities for Retarded Children - A Handbook for Teachers and Parents
By David R. Ginglend and Winifred E. Stiles

Write to: Abingdon Press
Nashville, Tennessee

This book has been planned to help teachers initiate a developmental beginning music program for retarded children or young "normal" children. It is appropriate for persons who may or may not have a background in the needs of retarded children, and for those with little or no formal training in music as well as for the trained person.

33. Play Together, Parents and Babies, 1972
By Patricia A. Griswold

Write to: United Cerebral Palsy of Central Indiana
615 North Alabama Street
Indianapolis, Indiana 46204

This is a program outline for parents and their children, ages 3 months to 3 years having cerebral palsy.

34. Portage Project Checklist

Write to: Cooperative Educational Service Agency #12
Portage, Wisconsin 53901

This is the experimental edition of the Portage guide to early education, which is both a checklist of behaviors and a card file containing curriculum ideas for use with children ranging in age from birth to five years, with a variety of handicapping conditions.

35. Preparing for Work
By Dr. William A. Fraenkel, Department of Mental Health, Boston, MA

Write to: The President's Committee on Employment of the Handicapped
Washington, DC 20201

This booklet is a guide for special class teachers, guidance counselors, families of mentally retarded persons, and mentally retarded young people. Its purpose is to help prepare mentally retarded young people for work. It uses checklists, which contain the many factors considered necessary for job success.

E. GUIDES AND ACTIVITIES FOR THE HANDICAPPED (continued)

36. Preschool Learning Activities for the Visually Impaired Child

Write to: The Office of the Superintendent of Public Instruction
State of Illinois

This booklet is written for the parents of a blind child. The games and activities suggested are valuable in the development of skills and abilities essential to his growth towards independence.

37. A Program of Art Activities for the Young Retarded Child At Home, 1966
By Dorothy G. Tucker and Barbara-Jeanne Seabury

Write to: Division of Mental Hygiene
190 Portland Street
Boston, MA

In this new guide a program of activities has been specifically redesigned to help parents and concerned adults who are working with the young retarded child at home by suggesting an approach, methods, and a developmental program of creative art activities for him.

38. Scouting for the Visually Handicapped, 1968 (75¢ a copy)

Write to: Boy Scouts of America
New Brunswick, NJ

This booklet is for visually handicapped boys and their scout leaders. It has specific test-by-test suggestions for including visually handicapped boys in Boy Scouts.

39. Self-Help Clothing for Handicapped Children, 1962 (50¢ a copy)
By Clari Bare, Eleanor Boetfke, and Neva Waggoner

Write to: National Easter Seal Society for Crippled Children and Adults
2023 West Ogden Avenue
Chicago, IL 60612

This pamphlet is designed to serve as a guide for parents and professional personnel in the selection and adaption of clothing for handicapped children. It is the result of the efforts of many people who are deeply concerned with the difficulties handicapped children must face in learning to dress themselves.

E. GUIDES AND ACTIVITIES FOR THE HANDICAPPED (continued)

40. Spoonfed Instructions for Teaching Spoonfeeding to Your Multi-Handicapped Child, 1971
By Abigail B. Calkin, Mary Bowman, Patrick A. Grant

Write to: Abigail B. Calkin Koch
S. E. I. M. C.
Clinical Services Building
University of Oregon
Eugene, Oregon 97403

41. A Swimming Program for Blind Children, 1955 (45¢ a copy)
By Robert Belenky

Write to: American Foundation for the Blind
15 West 16th Street
New York, NY 10011

This booklet is based on the author's own experiences as a swimming instructor in a camp for blind children. He offers detailed suggestions that could be very helpful to other instructors.

42. Toilet Habits - Suggestions for Training a Blind Child
By Pauline M. Moor

Write to: American Foundation for the Blind
15 West 16th Street
New York, NY 10011

43. Toilet Training Your Retarded Children, 1968 (10¢ a copy)
By Molly C. Gorelick

Write to: National Association for Retarded Children
2709 Avenue E. East
Arlington, Texas 76011

This pamphlet discusses problems and anxieties involved with toilet training a retarded child. It also gives suggestions to help attain that goal.

E. GUIDES AND ACTIVITIES FOR THE HANDICAPPED (continued)

44. The Visually Impaired Child: Growth, Learning, Development - Infancy to School Age, 1970
By Carol Halliday

Write to: Instructional Materials Reference Center
American Printing House for the Blind
1839 Frankfort Avenue
Louisville, Kentucky 40206

This booklet is made available by the Instructional Materials Reference Center of the American Printing House for the Blind as a service to teachers, other professionals, and parents of visually impaired children of preschool age. It discusses the care, training and instruction of the child from birth until entry into a formal school program.

F. PARENTS

45. A Guide for Parents of a Preschool Blind Child

Write to: Commission for the Blind of New York State
Department of Social Welfare
270 Broadway
New York, NY

This pamphlet describes the needs of a preschool blind child.

46. How to Organize an Effective Parent Group and Move Bureaucracies, 1971 ($1.50 a copy)
By Charlotte Des Jardins

Write to: Co-Ordinating Council for Handicapped Children
407 South Dearborn
Chicago, Illinois 60605

This booklet is written specifically for parents of handicapped children and their helpers to show them how to move bureaucracies and get better services for their children.

47. Needs of Parents of Mentally Retarded Children
By Mrs. Max A. Murray

Write to: National Association for Retarded Children
2709 Avenue E. East, P. O. Box 6109
Arlington, Texas 76011

This pamphlet discusses the major problems and needs that parents of retarded children have in common.

F. PARENTS (continued)

48. New Directions - For Parents of Persons Who are Retarded, 1973
By Robert Perske

Write to: Cooperative Publication Association
Abingdon Press
Nashville, Tennessee

This book is written for parents of retarded children. It is most specifically intended for parents who have elected to keep their retarded child in their home or in nearby residential facilities.

49. Parents are Teachers, 1971
By Wesley C. Becker, Ph.D.

Write to: Research Press
2612 North Mattis Avenue
Champaign, Illinois 61820

Parents are Teachers has been designed to help parents learn to be more effective teachers of their children. The program is based on the latest knowledge of teaching methods growing out of the science of behavior. The program shows parents how to systematically use consequences to teach children in positive ways what children need to learn to become effective people.

50. Parents Can Teach, Too, Volume IV
By Ernestine W. Rainey

Write to: Mississippi State University
Learning Research Service

This booklet emphasizes the importance of parents as teachers. It suggests many activities that parents can do at home with their young children to help remember and use things learned at school in the areas of safety, health, self-concept, colors, shape and number concepts and language development.

51. The Preschool Deaf-Blind Child - Suggestions for Parents

Write to: American Foundation for the Blind
15 West 16th Street
New York, NY 10011

This pamphlet is intended for the parents of preschool deaf-blind children. It offers basic suggestions to help parents begin to cope with the problems of having a deaf-blind child.

F. PARENTS (continued)

52. Siblings of the Retarded, 1965
By Schreiber and Feeley

Write to: National Association for Retarded Children
2709 Avenue E. East
P. O. Box 6109
Arlington, Texas 76011

This booklet deals with problems retarded children create for their normal adolescent brothers and sisters, and vice-versa.

G. SELECTED REPORTS AND PAPERS

53. The Education of Handicapped Children, 1972
Edited by Dr. Gene Hensley and Nancy Ellen Cain, May, 1972, Report No. 23

Write to: The Education Commission of the States
1860 Lincoln Street
Denver, Colorado 80203

Selected papers and highlights from six regional conferences on State Law and Educational Services for the Handicapped, held in the Fall of 1971.

54. Methods and Materials In the Education of the Visually Handicapped, June, 1972 - 51st Biennial Conference of the Association for Education of the Visually Handicapped

Write to: Association for Education of the Visually Handicapped
1604 Spruce Street
Philadelphia, PA 19103

Selected papers from the 51st biennial conference of the Association for Education of the Visually Handicapped.

55. National Leadership Institute Teacher Education/Early Childhood Technical Papers from the University of Connecticut, 1971-1974

1. Testing Little Children - Some Old Problems in New Settings

2. Structured Cognitive Approach for Educating Young Children: Report of a Successful Program

3. The Milwaukee Project: Early Intervention as a Technique to Prevent Mental Retardation

G. SELECTED REPORTS AND PAPERS (continued)

55. National Leadership Institute Teacher Education/Early Childhood Technical Papers from the University of Connecticut, 1971-1974 (continued)

4. Instructional Planning for Gifted Disadvantaged Children

5. High I. Q. Minority Children

6. Guidance Services for Gifted Disadvantaged Children and Youth

56. A Summary of Major State Legislation Passed In 1972 Relating to the Education of Handicapped Children, 1973
Prepared by HACHE (Handicapped Children's Education Project)
Report No. 35 and No. 36

Write to: Handicapped Children's Education Program
Education Commission of the States
1860 Lincoln Street
Denver, Colorado 80203

The summaries of bills described in the pamphlet are intended to provide the reader with general information concerning legislation recently passed concerning the education of handicapped children.

H. SERVICES FOR THE BLIND AND HANDICAPPED

57. Day Care - Serving Children With Special Needs, 1972

Write to: U. S. Department of Health, Education, and Welfare
Office of Child Development
Washington, DC 20201

This manual is intended as a guide book for directors and staff of day care programs who are or might consider including some children with special needs in their program.

58. Massachusetts Provides Services for Blind and Visually Handicapped Children

Write to: Commission for the Blind
39 Boylston Street
Boston, MA 02116

This pamphlet is a listing of services that can be obtained in the state of Massachusetts for blind and visually impaired children. It includes preschool counseling, recreational and vocational planning, educational counseling, and medical assistance.

H. SERVICES FOR THE BLIND AND HANDICAPPED (continued)

59. Services for Visually Handicapped and Blind Persons in the Boston Area, 1974
Compiled by the Massachusetts Federation for Visually Handicapped Persons

Write to: Massachusetts Society for the Prevention of Blindness
375 Concord Avenue
Belmont, MA 02178

I. SPECIAL MATERIALS

60. Aids and Appliances, 1973-1974

Write to: American Foundation for the Blind
15 West 16th Street
New York, NY 10011

This catalog is a mail order service which provides commercial, adapted or special devices for use by blind persons. It includes such items as braille writing equipment, games, kitchen equipment, medical aids, tools and instruments, and mobility aids.

61. Banned Products, 1973, Volume II, Part I

Write to: U. S. Consumer Product Safety Commission
Washington, DC 20207

A listing of all Banned Products and Banned Toys. These products have been found hazardous by the Commission of Consumer Product Safety.

62. Films About Blindness

Write to: American Foundation for the Blind
15 West 16th Street
New York, NY 10011

This is a listing of fairly recent films about blindness. Each film is briefly described, and a rental and purchase fee is also included.

I. SPECIAL MATERIALS (continued)

63. International Catalog - Aids and Appliances for Blind and Visually Impaired Persons, 1973
Edited by L. L. Clark

Write to: American Foundation for the Blind, Inc.
15 West 16th Street
New York, NY 10011

This book is a compilation of special devices or aids and appliances for the blind that were reported as being available for purchase from manufacturers at the end of 1972. It is a good source of guidance for agencies of the blind and blind individuals.

64. Tactile Aids for the Blind, Inc.

Write to: 2625 Forest Avenue
Des Moines, Iowa 50311

This catalog is a mail order service for learning aids for use in the education of blind individuals. The items in this catalog are the results of requests for help from some of the educators of visually handicapped students, and are currently being successfully used.